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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS



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**A friendly hug** — A small child gets an early hug from the Easter bunny, who will be making a special benefit appearance at the Granite City Wal-Mart on Highway 3 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, March 26. Children can have their picture taken with the Easter bunny for a \$5 donation; an Easter ham will be given away at the end of the day. All proceeds will go to the Phoenix Crisis Center in Granite City to help victims of domestic violence. The center is also looking for people interested in volunteering. For more information, persons may call Donna at 344-2779 or 451-1008.

## Suspect arrested near fire site

Police arrested a 49-year-old Granite City man Friday afternoon in connection with a suspicious fire in the downtown area.

The man, a resident of the 1500 block of East 20th Street, was being held in jail over the weekend pending the filing of a formal charge Monday.

Assistant Police Chief Kip Pomeroy said Friday that witnesses saw the man exit the vacant building at 1911 Grand Avenue just before smoke began coming out of it.

Police also arrested a block away at the Pit Stop Cafe, where Fire Chief Keith Talley detained him until a police officer

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**In command** — Police Chief Dave Ruehausen, second from left, and Assistant Chief Kip Pomeroy, third from left, are sworn in Friday morning by City Clerk Bob Stevens. At right is Mayor Ron Selph.



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## A less active City Council?

### In wake of election, reduced role proposed

By Bob Slatte  
Staff writer

Granite City voters said, in effect, Tuesday that they want aldermen less involved in the operations of city government.

So Wednesday night, one alderman presented what he called "the first of several proposals" (made) in order to comply with the wishes of the public.

Volunteer Alderman Craig Tarppoff, who proposed 3,076 to 1,343 to shrink the City Council to one alderman from each of the seven wards.

The city's annual budget has been prepared and barreled in the recent past by the council's Finance Committee during marathon sessions where hundreds of thousands of dollars in proposed expenditures have been axed.

Alderman Craig Tarppoff, a member of the Finance Committee, proposed Wednesday that the budget be prepared by the mayor and his staff. "The times they are a-changin,'" Tarppoff said.

Illinois statute and Madison County Clerk Evelyn Bowles said changes in aldermanic size will take place at the next aldermanic election, in 1995.

But some attorneys and others have said there are questions about the status of the seven aldermen elected last year to four-year terms.

"The voters have said they want us to be policy-setters, legislators, and to provide oversight," Tarppoff told the council.

"With that in mind, I am proposing that the mayor with his department heads develop the budget and necessary cuts and present it to the Finance Committee for review and submission to the entire council," Tarppoff said.

Alderman Jim Miller, also a member of

the Finance Committee, said the aldermen's sole responsibility should be to either accept or reject the budget as presented.

Mayor Ron Selph said he welcomes the change.

"I see it as my responsibility as the executive branch to prepare the budget," Selph said.

"I don't consider (Tarppoff's) proposal a slap or anything like that. He is just reiterating the way things should be," Selph said.

Alderman said Wednesday night after the meeting that many other changes may be seen in the not too distant future.

"Time is not going to permit things to be done the way they were in the past. There is going to have to be a lot of things done differently," Tarppoff said.

Among the changes mentioned by some aldermen after the meeting were referring calls from constituents directly to the appro-

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## Popeye's closes abruptly

By Mike Myers  
Staff writer

A "partnership that wasn't" between a former mayor and a former police chief of Madison led to the closing last week of a Granite City fast-food restaurant.

Popeye's Famous Fried Chicken restaurant, 2868 Madison Ave., closed without notice.

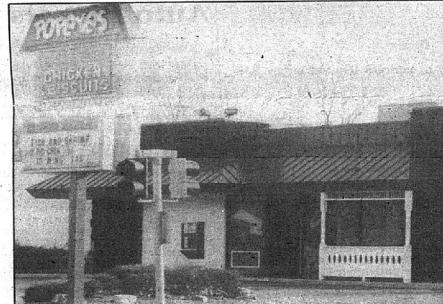
The business was operated by BYS Enterprises Inc., run by

John Bridiek, a former Madison police chief and now a top official in the Madison County Sheriff's Department; Mike Sasyk, formerly of Madison, current economic development director of Pontoon Beach; and James Young of Sunset Hills, Mo.

The restaurant was opened with the help of a \$100,000 economic development loan from Madison County Community Development.

Sasyk, Bridiek and Young were sued in April by Magna Bank of Madison County for failing to make loan payments on a 1987 loan for \$415,000.

According to the lawsuit, BYS Enterprises was, at the time the



(Staff photo by BOB SLATE)  
Popeye's Famous Fried Chicken restaurant, 2868 Madison Ave.

suit was filed, eight months behind on its loan payments and owed principal and interest totaling \$349,000.

Sasyk said Friday that, although he had signed loan papers with Bridiek and had no legal belief that he was a part-owner of the business, he recently discovered that to be untrue.

Sasyk said he discovered he had never actually had an interest in the corporation and had never been listed as an owner on the deed for the Popeye building.



Tarppoff

## Boy, 6, critically injured

What may have been a dangerous game with traffic proved tragic for a 6-year-old Granite City school boy Thursday morning.

Adam Joseph Dusky, of the 3000 block of Kirkpatrick Homes, was struck by a passing van on Nameoki Road about 7:45 a.m. Thursday when he apparently fell off the curb and into a southbound traffic lane.

Adam was listed in critical condition Thursday afternoon at Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital, St. Louis, where he was flown by helicopter Thursday after being taken by ambulance to St. Louis Children's Hospital.

The accident occurred at a crosswalk located on Nameoki Road at Victory Drive. No guard works at the crosswalk until 8 a.m.

According to the accident report, Adam's 8-year-old sister told police that Adam and a friend had a habit of playing "wicki-wack" with sticks until Adam sometimes puts his foot in the road and then pulls it back at the last second.

The girl also told police that Adam and a friend sometimes

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## THE VOICE BOX:

What is your favorite spring activity?

By T.W. MILLER



**Chris Mathenia** Granite City  
"Fishing at Horseshoe Lake or Lake Carlyle."



**Jesse Sowers** Granite City  
"Playing softball."



**Retha Richmond** Granite City  
"Swimming and diving."



**Lamon Lancaster** Granite City  
"Golf — spring, summer, fall and winter."



**Richard Beck** Granite City  
"Golf, because it's a great spring sport."

## 'Modest' \$27,000 settlement for injury in jail beating

Taxpayers will fork over more than \$27,000 in a settlement to a former prisoner who claimed he was needlessly beaten in the Madison County Jail.

County officials, who originally vowed to keep the settlement amount confidential, released the figure Tuesday after criticism about shielding spending information from residents.

"It is a modest settlement and I think (officials) really felt the information would be of concern to taxpayers," said John Gilbert, an Edwardsville attorney who represented the county.

The lawsuit, filed in U.S. District Court in 1989, sought more than \$1 million in damages from the county, Sheriff Bob Churchich and seven jail employees.

The suit, filed on behalf of former county jail inmates Mark Urioste and Mark Madison, alleged the sheriff and his employees failed to separate Urioste from cellmates who reportedly beat him

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— John Gilbert  
Attorney for county

several times between August 1988 and January 1989.

"The settlement really only bound the Urioste to silence," Gilbert said. "The county went along with it to protect the Urioste's concern but felt the expense of concern is valid and the confidentiality was never intended to hide anything."

Urioste's mother, Mary Urioste, has said she agreed not to pursue the settlement but kept irritated that it was being kept secret.

"Her comments to the paper indicated to us that it was not a

concern of hers," Gilbert said.

Urioste is now serving a 40-year sentence in Menard Correctional Center for the stabbing murder of Rebecca Roger, 21, of Madison.

U.S. Magistrate Judge Gerald Cohen, who accepted the settlement Jan. 6, has said it is common to seal settlement information. He said settlements are often kept secret so they will not influence other potential lawsuits seeking damages.

The settlement will be paid from the county's Tort Immunity Fund.



(Staff photo by BOB SLATE)

**Suspicious** — Granite City firefighters extinguish a weed fire along the railroad tracks at the end of 24th Street near the city's water tower. Firefighters believe two young boys started the fire just before 4 p.m. Thursday. A small blue plastic box containing baseball cards was found where the fire ignited.

## City Council agenda for Tuesday

- 1) Prayer
- 2) Pledge of Allegiance
- 3) Roll Call
- 4) Minutes
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  - a) request from Daniel Antonovich to address the council re Bremer Avenue
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  - d) revised census population of the city
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  - b) abate the levy: \$101,157.50 grade separation Series B
  - c) abate the levy: \$1,550,000 1991 general obligation Series A
  - d) abate the levy: \$450,000 1991 general obligation Series B
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  - ADA public hearing
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## Auto stickers to go on sale

Granite City automobile license stickers will go on sale on April 4. They will be available in the City Clerk's Office in City Hall, at local banks, and through the mail.

Prices for the windshield stickers will be announced at a future date.

## Real estate class to be offered

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## Madison declares war on city's 'goofy' gum ball trees

By Mike Myers  
Staff writer

Tired of torn-up sidewalks and "goofy balls" all over the street," the Madison City Council voted unanimously Tuesday to begin cutting down the gum trees in the city.

"It was the city clerk when the nursery guy sat right there and told us that these trees would grow straight down and couldn't have balls," said Mayor John Bellcoff.

"Now we have sidewalks buckling (because of the tree roots) and balls all over our city."

Bellcoff said he has talked to a number of people who cut trees for firewood, but "they don't want our trees — they say they will gum up the flues of the fireplaces."

The city's street sweeper has been inoperable for much of this year, the gum balls have collected on the streets and sidewalks.

The aldermen said the balls have become a hazard for people walking on sidewalks or to their cars.

And Alderman Eleanor Armour said sidewalks are buckling all over her ward — in some places for the second time.

Bellcoff added the aldermen will authorize the Street Department — on a limited basis — to begin cutting down the trees.

He said the crews should start in areas where the balls are a hazard to senior citizens or children, but he would eventually like to see all the gum trees removed.

Alderman Mike Vrabec asked if there was some sort of spray available to keep the trees from producing balls.

Alderman Ron Grzywacz said he had heard that question asked of a naturalist at the Missouri Botanical Gardens and the answer is apparently no.

"The guy said there had been a spray, but it is no longer available," Vrabec said. "He said that, for some reason, one sawed off end of the spray and no one knows what was in it."

Vrabec asked if the city could replace the trees. Bellcoff said trees were available through the state forestry department and that Granite City had been able to get a smaller variety of trees. He said

Madison would look into doing the same thing.

"Well, maybe those trees don't have balls," Vrabec said.

In other business, the aldermen approved an ordinance finalizing the sale of the Huntoe Steel property to Huntoe Steel for \$500,000.

Terms of the sale are cash at closing and Bellcoff said the closing should take place "in the next two to three weeks."

The aldermen unanimously voted to accept the low bid of \$1,100 from Foley Construction for repairs to the city-owned Alpine Village Shopping Center on Madison Avenue. The center is currently occupied by Farm Fresh and the Family Dollar Store.

The aldermen also voted unanimously to have City Attorney Casper Higginson prepare an ordinance to give the city local control ordinance to reflect the city's new policy concerning dead pets.

The new policy requires the city to keep the bodies in a freezer at the city pound for three days and, if they remain unclaimed or unclaimed after that period, disposing of them in accordance with the law.

### Art show for high school students

Area high school art students will have a chance to show their best work and compete for more than \$1,000 in prizes at the 15th annual High School Invitational Art Show at Belleville Area College.

Between 150-200 young artists from 27 high schools in BAC District 522 are expected to enter their work in the competition and show. A reception will be held at 6 p.m., Tuesday, March 29, in the Upper Hall Gallery of the Belleville Campus, 2500 Carlyle Road. Prizes will be presented at a ceremony at 8 p.m.

The artists' work will be on display in the gallery until April 15.

"It is an exciting opportunity for high school students to show their work at the college level," said BAC art instructor Dan Lowery. "It is a celebration of talent and realized potential."

High schools can submit paintings, drawings, photographs, sculptures, and ceramics.

The work will be judged by photographer Don Bivert, a BAC adjunct faculty member.

Area high schools involved in the art competition include Granite City, Madison and Venice.

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## County ditches mileage proposal

By Scott Wuerz  
Staff writer

An attempt to eliminate mileage reimbursements for Madison County Board members was run off the road at the board's meeting Wednesday.

Board members Harold Byers and Steve Johnson said the mileage payments are necessary parts of the paycheck of representatives from outside the Edwardsville area.

"There is no way it can be said that anyone is making any money off of mileage reimbursement," Garrett said. "AAA Auto Club says it costs an average of \$1.20 per mile to operate a car, and that means we're still losing money driving in to Edwardsville to represent our constituents."

"It probably costs a representative from Edwardsville 50

cents to drive to their meetings at the Administration Building, which costs me \$15. That just isn't fair."

County Auditor Fred Bathon said, however, that representatives are compensated for their efforts that are their salaries and they don't deserve the extra pay.

"(Board members) knew what the requirements of their position were before they were elected," Bathon said. "People in the business community aren't paid to drive to work, and board members shouldn't be."

Despite Byers' proposal not getting on the agenda for Wednesday's meeting, however, Byers said he has not given up on obtaining mileage payments abolished.

He requested that Legislative Committee Chairman Alan Dunstan add a resolution to allow him to present his committee's agenda, and bring the question to the county board again in April.

### Housing workshop set for Thursday

Those who want to learn more about various aspects of renting a home may be interested in a workshop this week.

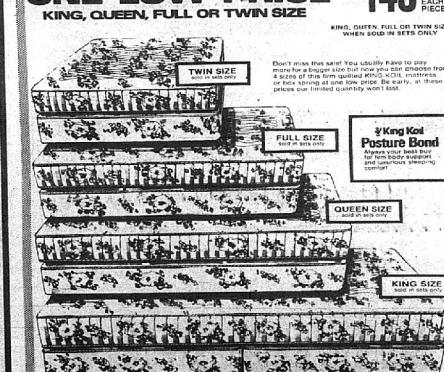
The Madison County Urban League is sponsoring a Home Education Workshop entitled "Learn Everything You Need to Rent a Home" from 5 to 7 p.m. Thursday, March 24, at the Madison Recreation Center, Seventh and Lee streets.

The workshop will cover most aspects of renting a home, including looking for suitable apartments, applying for federal Housing and Urban Development rental programs, applying for public housing and related rights and responsibilities.

For more information or to register call the Madison County urban League at 877-8870.

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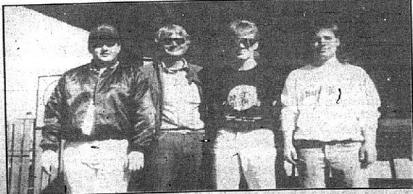
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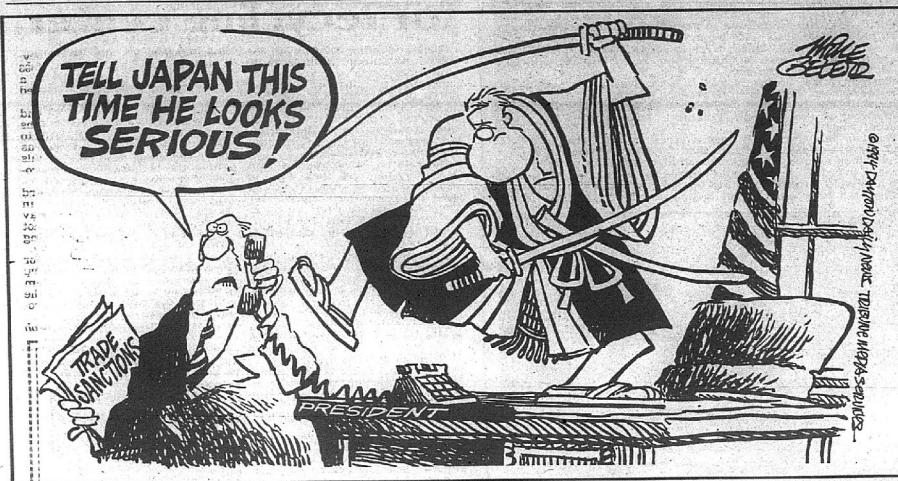
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# Opinion

4A—Granite City Sunday Journal—March 20, 1994



## Mia Farrow, Cher have not changed Carol's life

*Carol Clarkin writes this weekly Edwardsville Journal column.*

Over the years, I've developed a knack. I hesitate to call it a talent — for mentally turning-off television commercials. Not all of them, of course. I've developed a fondness for this scene of a sleek-swilling polar bear, the parrot giving the family kitty hard sell on cat food, and a couple of others.

For the most part, though, I can go into instant trance state the second one of those tired old ads hits the screen. I put my mind to work on important things like the greater good of society.

So it was unusual when I failed to hit the mental switch button when a commercial for "People" magazine appeared on my TV screen and I learned of a special edition being planned (though I failed to note the date of publication) devoted to "people who have changed your life."

I'm curious whether these people have purportedly changed lives only in the last decade or over the 20th century.

I guess I'd have to buy the magazine to learn that. And I don't think I'll waste my money. Why?

Because the faces flashing across the screen were those of Mia Farrow, Cher, and Ariana Asha. These three are examples of the others, as the late Sam Goldwyn would say, "make me out."

Mia Farrow has indisputably changed some lives; like Woody Allen's and those of her assorted birth/adopted children, but she hasn't laid a dainty finger on mine.

Cher, too, has sung some of her songs and some of her acting roles, but changed my life? I haven't even joined whatever health club it is that she works for.

Ashe I've admired and pitied, particularly when his much-desired privacy during his final months of life was so cruelly invaded by the media. But he never changed my life.

Throughout history, individual lives have, indeed, been changed by people those individuals have never met.

Achimedes changed our lives centuries ago. As have Galileo, Boyle, Newton, Faraday, Einstein, Fermi and J. Robert Oppenheimer, among others.

Harvest, Jenner, Pasteur, Lister, Ehrlich, Roentgen, Banting and, in our own time, Salk and Sabin, DeBakey and Barnard.

Statesmen and plain old politicians have changed our lives. Presidents and dictators have also done it. In my own life, who changed more lives, Hitler or Hiroshima?

"People" magazine, like a lot of people I know, is careless with its terminology. The magazine, its editors, publishers, and certainly the creators of its TV advertising, should know better — and probably do. They might have used the more apt phrase "touched your lives" rather than "changed your life."

"Touched" is more accurate, it's not quite as dramatic as "changed" — and drama is what they're seeking.

Nitpicking on my part? Of course it is — nitpicking is one of my less endearing traits and I know it and can't help it. Bred in the bone, I guess.

I've waited for years when I've heard some local folks talk about the "trustees" at the Madison County Jail, when they mean "trust."

I would have expected better from those who write — and deliver — the St. Louis television news, but at least twice in the past six months newscasters on Channel 5 have described the escape from local jails of "trustees." The same news channel late last year used the term "revelry" instead of "revolve."

Last week, the front page of the St. Louis daily carried a headline on a front page that the Illinois Gov. Edgar's proposed budget cuts "Medicaid" when the story itself was about Medicaid. Careless editing and a mistake they've made before.

But back to changing my life and the people who've done so. And those who haven't.

If my son, parents and brother, my husband and children, my close friends have, in countless ways, changed my life. So have circumstances beyond my control.

But the likes of Mia Farrow and Cher? Hardly. Whoever invented the flush toilet changed my life immeasurably more than those two — and I thank him for it.

## Faulty logic by surgeon general

**TO THE EDITOR:**

Though Dr. Jocelyn Elders, the surgeon general, recently requested that legalization of drugs be considered, she is now attacking the tobacco industry for advertising its legalized drug, nicotine.

Did she think the new "drug entrepreneurs," whom we now call drug pushers, would not advertise their legal products?

Drug dealers are some of the most innovative market strategists in the world. Is she under the impression they will all quit the cigarette because of legal? Or does she perhaps intend to legalize drugs for minors, too?

Surely, even the foggy Dr. Elders must see that if alcohol and nicotine — currently illegal to minors — are not healthy, just maybe crack, coke, heroin and cannabis might not be too good for our youths, either.

Another glaring inconsistency was revealed in her speech to a national family planning association Feb. 25, when she called for a joining of the church and state.

She proceeded to upbraid those of Christian, Judaic and Islamic faith for failing to do so, "living the life."

This is the same woman who has repeatedly blasted the church for its objections to government policies of sex education, free condoms, and easy abortion which have contributed to the moral decline, teenage pregnancies, and welfare dependencies that she, attorney general, is the author of.

Dr. Elders, however, I suppose, wants to be our national religious leader. One can only assume she wants the churches to join in her programs without any of that "moralizing" which she repeatedly condemns.

God forbid Perkins if our churches had "moralized" longer ago. And we wouldn't be facing these problems now. Dr. Elders' most frightening words were, "I say honestly what I think."

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## Township government is providing necessary social center, bus service

**TO THE EDITOR:**  
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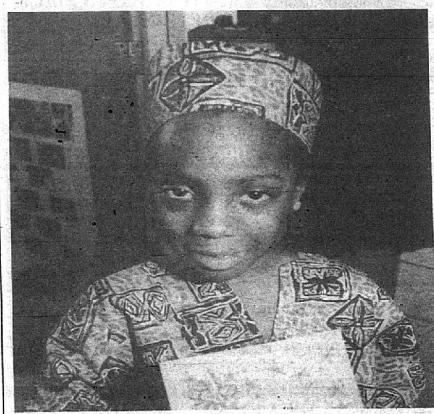
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**Black history** — Blair School held its annual Black History Month program on Feb. 25. In top left photo, Bernard Long Jr. plays a drum solo. In bottom left photo, LaMonica Henderson, 7, hands out programs. In top right photo, third-grader Eulisa



Williams, dressed as dancer Katherine Dunham, tells of the dancer's accomplishments. In bottom right photo, first-grader DeAndre Jordan tells of Crispus Attucks, a black man who fought in the American Revolutionary War.



## Funding OK'd for SIUE facility

Project and funding approval to renovate the University Center cafeteria dining and food serving areas at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville has been granted by the SIE Board of Trustees. The board also approved a section of Artec Inc. of Belleville to provide architectural and engineering services for the project.

Estimated cost of the renovation is \$430,000, which will be funded from the University Center's operating budget. The project will be submitted to the Illinois Department of Higher Education for approval as a major capital improvement.

University officers said expanded and updated facilities are needed because new student housing will open this fall, requiring dining service for 500 customers for two or three meals every day. The dining area currently has a maximum seating capacity of 600.

The new facility will be used by both permanent students living in the new residence hall and other cafeteria patrons to be accommodated more conveniently and quickly.

The board approved retention of the architect at this time in order to get the project completed in time to serve students who will live in the new residence hall starting in August. The firm selected was the one that performed preliminary planning for the dining area improvements and consulted on service area improvements.

The renovation will make seating capacity for approximately 100 patrons more accessible through improved and spacious meeting rooms as part of the food serving areas. An additional 130 spaces will be added as a result of this project, by purchasing tables and chairs for use in the existing dining area. This furniture would replace worn and broken furniture that has not been replaced over the years.

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## County to seek bids for recycling center

Ten recycling firms will be asked to submit bids to the county to operate a depository for recyclable materials throughout Madison County.

The County Board Wednesday approved a proposal to draw up specifications for the depository, which was hired in early 1993 for \$49,000 to determine if a recycling depository was needed in the county.

The board agreed to extend the contract for another month and increase the pay cap to \$79,000. The amount of time was not spelled out because officials are not sure how long the project will take.

In related moves, the board approved another \$5,000 in grants for Pride's Broadway recycling plant and decided not to renew a \$1,000 grant for Godfrey.

Pride officials had asked for an additional \$2,500 to make up for the loss of revenue from the Godfrey village collapse of the village's curbside recycling program late last year.

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## Write-in efforts mar ballots

Ballot pages in about eight voting booths had to be replaced Tuesday after voters wrote them by writing candidates' names on them.

The problem, which involved two voting booths in South Roxana, is common when write-in candidates are seeking office, said Madison County Clerk Evelyn Bowles.

"Instead of using the space on the envelope, they write on the ballot pages," Bowles said. "One time in Wood River, we had to replace 57 pages."

Election judges at the South Roxana Village Hall discovered the problem with the write-in of Marvin Kraut, a write-in candidate for Democratic precinct committeeman, written on ballot pages with an X next to the name.

Bowles said judges were told to cover the written name with white tape or stickers until the pages could be replaced.

"We noticed it about noon and Bill [another judge] over it until they brought us new pages," South Roxana election judge Robert McDowell said. "It could not have been there for more than half an hour."

Kraut lost in his write-in bid for Democratic precinct committeeman Chouteau Precinct 2. Forrest Duehne garnered 71 votes. Kraut got 66 write-in votes after his ballots were tossed out as spoiled.

— From the Alton Telegraph



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)  
Dennis Orsey updates election results Tuesday night from the County Courthouse for WBGZ Radio.

### Environmentalist to speak at SIUE

Dave Foreman, who founded the radical environmental organization Earth First!, will speak Saturday, April 9, at 5:30 p.m. in the Deja Vu Room of the University Center at Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville. The event is free to the public and is free of charge.

After 10 years, Foreman left the organization to more directly serve as an advocate for conservation biology issues. He is now the chairperson of "The Wildlands Project," an organization dedicated to developing a North American wilderness recovery plan.

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On page 6 of this week's White Sale circular, we advertised the Colonial patterned embroidered sheet and comforter set for the sale price of \$44.99. Due to manufacturing problems with this item, this item may not be available in time for the ad. We will gladly accept returns of this item at the Montego Bay pattern for the same sale price.

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## Two County Board members are ousted

Although two Granite City area members of the Madison County Board survived challenges in Tuesday's election, the board will have at least two new members after next November's general election.

Incumbents Darrell Riley of Alton and Michael Semanisnik of Maryville were knocked off in Tuesday's Democratic primary.

Political newcomer Rick Koenig, 37, of Granite City, will be the candidate for the District 1 County Board seat after soundly defeating Riley, 67, the director of Catholic Charities, garnered 597 votes to 187 for Riley, according to unofficial returns. Riley, 67, has served on the board since 1988.

Maryville Police Chief Don Sonnenberg defeated Semanisnik 566-499

for the Democratic nomination in District 27.

Don Metzler was unopposed for the Republican nomination in that district.

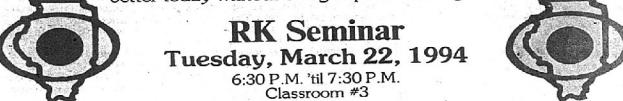
Locally, incumbents Herbert "Junior" Milton and Donald Eea defeated Democratic challengers in Tuesday's election. Milton received 598 votes to 289 for Tom Skubish and 225 for Gary Miller in the District 22 race, according to unofficial returns. In District 25, Eea defeated Ronald Galas by a 666-289 vote.

Another area incumbent, Donald Garrett of Madison, was not challenged for the Democratic nomination in District 23.

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Groundbreaking for the new Aviation Maintenance Technology building at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College was celebrated by, from left: Dr. Lynn Suydam, BAC vice president; Paul Green Wood and James Sala, aviation instructors; Dr. Marguerite Boyd, dean of Technical Services; Gregg Sweeten, director of the aviation program; and Don Koelson, former dean of Technical Education.

## Aviation facility called vital for area

Belleville Area College President Joseph J. Cipolla said a new facility being built to house aircraft for the school's aviation maintenance technology program could be vitally important to the future economy of the region.

The groundbreaking ceremony was held recently at the Granite City Campus for the new 9,600-square-foot building that will serve as storage space for the aircraft and aircraft parts used in laboratory training.

Because the joint civilian and military airport under construction at Scott Air Force Base is the site of the Training Center, that project should be completed in time for fall classes to start in August.

Currently, the aviation maintenance program operates in about 12,000 square feet of classroom and laboratory space, not counting the space used outside to store the aircraft, said Gregg Sweeten, program coordinator.

winning these positions in a highly competitive job market by improving an already successful program.

The BAC Board of Trustees approved the construction project last year. Leo Wolf Construction of Granite City was awarded the building contract for the \$292,000 project. The new building will be located outside the main entrance, bounded between the new Industrial Training Center and the cafeteria.

Leo Wolf Construction is also the contractor now on the project at the Training Center. That project should be completed in time for fall classes to start in August.

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The new facility will almost double the amount of space of the program, to meet new FAA regulations.

Illinois Rep. Ron Stephens, R-Troy, and former Illinois Senator Sam Wolf, D-Groton City, attended the ceremony as well.

During the ceremony, a moment of silence was observed in honor of the late Bruce Mueller, a survivalist who was inspected by the Federal Aviation Administration. Mueller, who died recently, was instrumental in the planning stages of the new Aviation Maintenance Building.

Construction began on the project in March and is expected to be completed in late April.

For more information about the aviation maintenance program, call Gregg Sweeten at 931-0600, extension 861, or toll-free in Illinois at 1-800-BAC-5151, extension 441.

## Route 66 tour to start in area

By Martin Richter  
Staff writer

On June 11, the Route 66 Association of Illinois will be "giving its 'icks' in Collingsville."

The association is kicking off its fifth annual motor tour on that day from Fairmount Park, Alton, to St. Louis, drawing cars of all ages and areas expected to take part.

The group chose to start this year's motor tour in Alton to put a different spin on the event, said Debbie Moore of Hillsboro, a Route 66 Association Board member.

"We were afraid that the tour would be over-rated," Moore said last week. "We'd gone from Chicago south to the St. Louis area for four years in a row."

The event could help rev up business in local restaurants and gas stations, said Salite Jo Burton of the Collingsville Convention and Visitors Bureau. Burton said many of the participants will be staying overnight here, and she already has mailed out about 300 guides to local accommodations.

"It will be real nice for us," she said.

Burton said the schedule of events planned for the association "hasn't been glued down yet." But she and Moore both said there will be a cook-off Friday, from 6 to 9 p.m., at the Silvermoon, and that many participants also are expected to take in a show at Art Viehus Comedy Club.

Participants in the two-day tour will leave Fairmount Park at about 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 19, and proceed on Route 66 to St. Louis. Stops along the way include Hamel, Staunton, Mount Olive and Farnersville, followed by an evening banquet in Lincoln.

The tour will eventually work its way north and east to Chicago, with street fairs, parades, car shows and music at stops along the way.

Both Route 66 and Illinois 157 were once part of the old U.S. Route 66, which crossed the country from coast to coast, Moore said.

Anyone with a car is welcome to join the tour. The entry fee is \$25 for those who are not members of the Route 66 Association. Participants get a "passport" that is stamped at each stop on the tour.

"They can go as much or as little as they want," Moore said. "They can just go to Staunton and turn around, or whatever they want."

Participants can pre-register during the kick-off party at the Silvermoon, and can register beginning at 7 a.m. June 11 at Fairmount Park, Moore said.

And shuttle bus service is available for the beginning of the motor tour.

"We hope a crowd will be there to see them off," she said.

**Diabetes Part II class Thursday**

"Take Charge of Your Diabetes" Part II, which will be held Thursday, March 24, from 7 to 10 p.m., is a free advanced class for those who have attended a basic diabetes education program at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

The aim is to provide information for those who are interested in learning more about diabetes and are taking a more active role in managing it.

The class is taught by a certified diabetes nurse educator, dietitian and pharmacist, and will meet in the Wiesman Room on the first floor of the west wing at SEMC, 2100 Madison Ave.

Topics at the class will include:

- Low-calorie cooking.
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- Medications to treat diabetes and its complications.
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- Interpreting blood sugars.

## Water district fish sale under way

The Madison County Soil and Water Conservation District is taking orders for its annual fish sale.

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The other fish will need to be ordered by April 7 and the triploid grass carp will need to be ordered by April 7 and the other fish will need to be ordered by April 21.

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# Champion on wheels

## Marathon wheelchair winner to speak at BAC event



Jean Driscoll, four-time winner in the women's wheelchair division of the Boston Marathon, will appear at BAC on Tuesday, March 29, as part of Disabilities Awareness Week.

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Jean Driscoll is the reigning four-time champion of the Boston Marathon. Yet she has never set foot on the streets of Boston.

Driscoll, 27, of Champaign has literally rolled to victory every year since 1990 as champion of the women's wheelchair, Wheelchair Division. And if that feat wasn't impressive enough, her winning time has set a world record in each of the four years.

Driscoll will talk about her experiences in the Boston

Marathon and about growing up with spina bifida when she appears at Belleville Area College's Main Campus, 2500 Castle Road, at noon on Tuesday, March 29.

Driscoll's appearance is part of the college's celebration of Disabilities Awareness Week, three days of special activities and events designed to educate BAC students and the public about people with disabilities. Disabilities Awareness Week is being sponsored by the college's Special Services Center.

In addition to her four Boston Marathon wins, Driscoll won a silver medal in an exhibition 100-meter race at the 1992 Summer Olympics in Barcelona, Spain. That's not bad work for someone who did not start racing competitively until 1987.

Originally from Milwaukee, Driscoll moved to Champaign in 1987 to attend the University of Illinois. Shortly before arriving on campus, she met Marty Morse, coach of the UI Wheelchair Racing Team, and, according to Driscoll, one of the best wheelchair racing coaches in the world.

"There are people from Africa, all over the world, who want to come here just so they can train with Marty," Driscoll said.

Marty is so highly regarded

because of his scientific

approach to coaching, Driscoll said.

Marty focuses a lot on biomechanics. He was instrumental in developing a special type of glove, like a

puncher's glove, that you use to punch or push over," she said. Driscoll got started in wheelchair racing in 1982 after it became apparent that her leg muscles would no longer function as a result of spina bifida.

"There's a break in the spine and the growth of the nerve endings were interrupted," Driscoll said in describing the condition. She is a triplets birth.

Driscoll said she surprised her skeptical doctors by even walking at all, albeit with leg braces, when she was very young.

"I was a very, very active child. I had to keep up with my brothers and sisters," she said.

Driscoll also spent a lot of time in a car, however, with broken legs, on three different occasions. Her spina bifida caused her leg bones to be very brittle, making them more susceptible to breaks.

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- March 22 - May 26 (Tuesdays & Thursdays) - 10-Week Chair Exercises/Light Aerobics for Seniors, 9-10 a.m., \$40.
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**Good Health****What's old seems new when beans cook in pot**

Legumes — including lentils, peas and dried beans — are among the oldest foods known to man. For thousands of years, they have been combined with grains to form the staples of human nutrition.

Yet in the United States over the past few decades, legumes have taken a nose dive in popularity. Only recently have they been considered more than a poor man's substitute for meat.

Fortunately, the nutrition consciousness of recent years has renewed interest in legumes. People looking for lower-fat protein sources, dietary fiber and foods rich in vitamins and minerals are discovering beans fill the bill in every category. Packed with protein and hunger-satisfying complex carbohydrates, beans also contain low fat and sodium and have no cholesterol. Being high in soluble fiber, beans even can help lower cholesterol.

If your bean repertoire is limited to baking them with pork, explore the variety of delicious ethnic dishes featuring this wholesome food. Indian, East Asian salads and spreads, Indian dumplings, French cassoulet, Brazilian feijoada, Italian pasta dishes and even this country's Native American succotash and Southern black-eyed peas.

Beans are economical. Count on one cup equivalent to a pound. When cooked, buying beans dried is their least expensive form, but it takes more time to prepare because they must be soaked to rehydrate and then slowly cooked.

Canned precooked beans, a viable alternative, are more expensive — although still a bargain.

Some hints for preparing better beans are to change the soaking water often, rinse beans after soaking and cook in fresh water. Adding baking soda to the water softens them. Wait to salt beans or season with acidic ingredients such as lemon, tomato or vinegar until they are cooked because salt or acid hardens the walls of the beans and prevents them from softening.

To order a cookbook of delicious and healthy spring recipes, send \$6 to: American Institute for Cancer Research, Department CB2, Washington, D.C. 20009.

**GARBANZO BEAN CHILI**

1 small onion, minced  
2 cloves garlic, minced  
2 tsp. oil  
1 can (15 oz.) garbanzo beans (chick peas), drained  
2 cans (8 oz. each) tomato sauce, salt-free if desired  
1 tbsp. chili powder  
1 tsp. cumin  
1/2 tsp. oregano  
Pinch cayenne pepper  
1/2 cup low-fat plain yogurt  
2 cups hot cooked brown rice  
Garnish: chopped green pepper, chopped tomato, shredded lettuce

In large saucepan over medium heat, combine onion and garlic in oil until onion is soft and translucent. Stir in garbanzos, tomato sauce, chili powder, cumin, oregano and cayenne. Simmer, uncovered, about 30 minutes, checking thickness occasionally. If mixture becomes too thick,

By KAREN COLLINS

**School menus****Granite City Public Schools**

**Monday** — Breakfast: Apple juice; lunch: Pizza, tater tots, apple sauce

**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Cereal, apple slices, toast; lunch: Baked chicken, whipped potatoes, green beans, bread, sliced peaches.

**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Manager's choice; lunch: Manager's choice

**Thursday** — Breakfast: Fresh baked doughnuts, fresh fruit; lunch: Taco with lettuce and cheese, mixed vegetables, fresh fruit

**Friday** — Conference day, no school.

**Madison Public Schools**

**Monday** — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Burrito, lettuce and tomato, corn, pineapple

**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Waffles, juice; lunch: Pizzaroni, tossed salad, peas, chocolate cake

**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Doughnut, juice; lunch: Toasted ham and cheese sandwich, broccoli and rice casserole, applesauce

**Thursday** — Breakfast: Cereal, juice; lunch: Sliced turkey and gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, pudding, bread

**Friday** — No school, parent-teacher conferences.

**Venice Public Schools**

**Monday** — Breakfast: Raisin Bran, apple juice; lunch: Chicken and rice, mixed vegetables, pineapples, cake, brownie

**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Doughnuts; lunch: Hot dogs, fries, peas, homemade cookies.

**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Toast, cinnamon apples; lunch: Cheeseburger on bun, tater tots, fruit cocktail

**Thursday** — Breakfast: Biscuits, bacon, jelly; lunch: Cheese puffs, baked beans, slaw, pineapple

**Friday** — Breakfast: Cereal; lunch: Fish, spaghetti, salad, brownies, bread.

**Holy Family**

**Monday** — Sloppy joe on bun, slice of cheese, fries, corn, cookie

**Tuesday** — Hot ham and cheese sandwich, lettuce salad, baked beans, apple sauce

**Wednesday** — Salisbury steak, potato salad, baked beans, slaw, bread, peanut butter candy

**Thursday** — Macaroni and meat sauce, cheese chunks, led tuco salad, buttered bread, baked apples

**Friday** — Cheese pizza, lettuce salad, mixed vegetables, peanut butter sandwich, pudding

**St. Elizabeth**

**Monday** — Mostaccioli with meat sauce, buttered bread, peas, apple sauce

**Tuesday** — Chicken and gravy over noodles, buttered bread, green beans, sliced peaches

**Wednesday** — Chef salad with crackers, cheese bread, fruit gelatin

**Thursday** — Nacho supreme, corn, mixed fruit cup, chocolate chip bar

**Friday** — Cheese pizza with extra cheese, pants, raisins

**Head Start**

**Monday** — Breakfast: Vitamin C fresh fruit, wheat toast, margarine; lunch: Ground beef sandwich, diced pear, lettuce and tomato, chips, milk, banana, packed salad dressing; snack: Apple juice, American cheese, saltine crackers

**Tuesday** — Breakfast: Orange juice, pancakes, syrup, margarine; lunch: Hamburger, baked beans, eggs, french fries, catsup, mustard, pickle slices; snack: Grape juice, mini bagel, cream cheese

**Wednesday** — Breakfast: Banana, sausage biscuit; lunch: Hamburger, potato, bread, eggs, french fries, catsup, mustard, pickle slices; snack: Grape juice, mini bagel, cream cheese

**Thursday** — Breakfast: Apple juice, corn flakes; lunch: Chicken fried rice, mixed vegetables, orange wedges, soy sauce; snack: Grapes, peanut butter, graham crackers

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## Obituaries



### Patricia Taylor

Patricia "Sissy" Taylor, 39, of Granite City died at 6:55 p.m. Thursday, March 17, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center after a three-year illness.

She was born in Granite City, where she had been a lifelong resident. She was a homemaker.

**Survivors** include two sons, August and Michael Hufstedler, both of Granite City; two daughters, Sirina and Kimberly Hufstedler, both of Granite City; her mother, Geneva Brooks of Granite City; two brothers, Robert and Gerald of Granite City; and Rickie Lee Brooks of South Roxana; and three sisters, Norma Mize, Phyllis Nance and Carolyn Weathers, all of Granite City.

She was preceded in death by her father, Ward Eugene Taylor.

Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. today at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave., Granite City, where services will be held at 8 a.m. Monday with the Rev. Eddie Shewell officiating. Burial will be at St. John Cemetery, Granite City.



### Huntley Bertrand

Huntley "Kenny" Bertrand, 60, of Granite City died at 9:30 p.m. Friday, March 17, 1994, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City, after a one-month illness.

He was born June 29, 1933, in Potosi, Mo., and had been a resident of Granite City for most of his life.

A self-employed painter, Mr. Bertrand was a member of Eagles Aerie 1126 and the Disabled American Legion. He was of the Protestant faith.

Survivors include two sons, Kenneth L. Bertrand of Chicago, Ill.; and Edward A. Bertrand of Granite City; one daughter, Shirley of Alhambra; one brother, Hugh E. Bertrand of Granite City; three sisters, Pat Jarvis of Texarkana, Ark., and Judy Williams and Linda Morgan, both of Granite City; and a daughter, Blanche Bertrand of Granite City; and four grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Hugh K. and Josephine (Brock) Bertrand.

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### Real estate

The following real estate transactions were recorded at the Madison County Courthouse from Feb. 28 through Mar. 11:

955 Arlington.....	\$1,000
2334 W. Vicksburg.....	\$63,900
3201 Johnson.....	\$63,900
2246 Lynch.....	\$46,000
2573 Revers.....	\$27,000
2578 Revers.....	\$45,000
1145 Rhodes.....	\$35,100
4728 W. Rockwood.....	\$60,000
3133 Ash.....	\$51,000
2623 Center.....	\$68,000
2325 Clark.....	\$67,500
3408 S. Colgate.....	\$67,500
2909 Franklin.....	\$6,500
1411 Madison.....	\$6,500
16 Terrace.....	\$75,000
2702 W. 20th.....	\$29,900
2742 Washington.....	\$24,000
3311 Washington Place.....	\$18,000
2097 Marshall.....	\$4,500
2161 Monroe.....	\$8,000
2704 Denver.....	\$47,900
805 S. Chain of Rock.....	\$47,900
3200 Illinois.....	\$64,000
3200 Milwaukee.....	\$64,000
Alice.....	\$91,000
1737 Moro.....	\$40,000
54R Traves.....	\$15,200
217 Wilson Park.....	\$67,000
Madison.....	
909 Madison.....	\$3,500
1417 7th.....	\$4,800
2019 Skene.....	\$6,000
Venice.....	
521 4th.....	\$2,500

Compiled by Arthur Lampitt at Lampitt Appraisals, 2816 Nameoki Road, Granite City, Ill. 62040 (618-451-7172).

She was a bookkeeper with Prairie Farms Dairy, Granite City, for 35 years prior to her retirement in 1988 and was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Granite City.

Survivors include her sister, Mary Pieszchalski of Granite City, and

many cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents, George and Mary (Luz) Pieszchalski.

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### John Imm

John V. Imm, 90, of Granite City, formerly of Murphysboro, Ill., died at 8 a.m. Friday, March 18, 1994, in Granite City.

Born June 26, 1903, in Jackson County, Iowa, he was a retired mechanic and a member of the First Pentecostal Church in Murphysboro.

Survivors include one daughter, Rita (Josephine) of Granite City; a son, John V. Imm, of Willville, Ill.; ten grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Dorothy (Eck) Imm, who died in Murphysboro, and who died Oct. 2, 1986; and his parents, Adolph and Martha Ann (Rader) Imm.

Visitation will be today, after 5 p.m., at the First Pentecostal Church, 2606 Washington Ave., Ill., where funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday. Burial, March 21, will be at Glenn Cemetery in Jacob, Ill.

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## Popeye's —

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"I don't think (the restaurant) is closed forever," says Sawk.

"But I want some guarantee that Donnie Bridick keeps up the interest payments and takes care of some of the things. When that happens, it will reopen."

Betsy Eck, a spokesperson for Magna Bank, would not comment Friday on the status of the loan or the future plans for the restaurant.

Reached Friday, Bridick said he is still trying to find a buyer.

Goldenberg, who has been involved in the restaurant business since the mid-1970s, said he is looking for a buyer.

Goldenberg was out of town and his office said he could not comment on the case.

In March 1993, Bridick, Sawk and others sued Madison County Community Development for defaulting on the \$100,000 economic development loan but the loan was dropped because the two loans which Bridick made to a \$16,951 payment to cover the overdue payments.

That suit also said that the partners had failed to meet the development loan requirement to hire 20 low-income workers.

Cheryl Jouett of Madison County Community Development said Friday that the Popeye loan has now been paid.

## Council

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private city department, making the street superintendent position as soon as possible as soon as May 3; examining the investment practices and policies of the city treasurer; and continuing to phase out township government.

These changes, as well as other suggestions such as adopting a city manager or administrator form of government, are contained in the Alternative Management Review of Granite City and Granite Township Operations.

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The hearing is the second in a series being conducted by the Aldermanic Legal and Legislative Committee regarding implementation of the McElvane recommendations.

Alderman Dan Partney has said that the suggestions should be put on the ballot in November to let voters decide how they want to be governed.

For information, call Jane at 398-3162.

Volunteers needed

Individuals interested in volunteering as a "Big Brother" or "Big Sister" are invited to attend an informational meeting on Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at the Big Brothers/Big Sisters office at 6400 West Main St., Suite F, Belleville.

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Accident

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Fire

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The fire started at about 2 p.m.

"We have strong reason to believe the fire was intentionally set," Pomeroy said.

Capt. Don Simon said the fire was "suspicious" and started in the middle of a room on the first floor of the two-story brick structure. Simon declined to give any more information about the nature of the blaze.

Firefighters limited most of

## Sodality meets

President Cindy Whitt chaired the February meeting of St. Elizabeth's Ladies Sodality.

New members Peggy Law and Mildred Noeth attended, along with a guest, Mary Sturdvant making a total of 41 ladies present.

Bootsie Schrenk stated plans for the Men's Committee Breakfast to be held at 7 a.m. Saturday.

There will be a Confirmation Reception on Sunday, May 15.

Jan Polach reported on the September trip with mystery train ride and visits to other sites slated to go to Cape Girardeau. Many ladies are signed up to go and there is a waiting list.

There will be a sale after the Mass on Saturday, March 26, and Sunday, March 27, at which home-baked bread, as well as cakes and pastries, will be sold.

The deadline for a high school senior to apply for the Ladies Sodality Scholarship is April 1. Applications are available at the rectory.

On March 13, at 7 p.m. at St. Elizabeth's church, a musical drama entitled "The Witness" on the life and death of Christ, will be presented. There will be a reception in the church basement after it is over. The public is invited to attend.

A mother/daughter banquet will be held in May for seven girls ages 12 to 18 in partnership.

Prizes for the evening went to Ann Barry for quilt of the Month; Carmen Schwartz for attendance; Betty Goldasich for Most Improved; Linda Bukovac for the Pot of Gold.

President Whitt thanked the hostesses for the evening who were Agnes Kelaher, Beulah Goss, and Linda Winkler.

Next month's meeting will be March 22. New members are always welcome.

## Named to dean's list

Susan Marie Becherer of Granite City has been named to the dean's list for the fall semester at the St. Louis College of Pharmacy.

Becherer is the daughter of Robert and Mary Ellen Becherer and is a graduate of Granite City High School.

The St. Louis College of Pharmacy is an independent, free-standing college located in the Central West End medical community. The private college has 800 students.

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**Military****Charles Chambers**

Navy Petty Officer Third Class Charles D. Chambers, son of Thurston and Gloria Chambers of Venice, is deployed aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Normandy, homeported in Staten Island, N.Y. The two women participated in an emergency night evacuation of a ferry passenger while on patrol in the Adriatic Sea for NATO Operation Safeguard. USS Normandy responded to a

VHF radio call from the Cyprus-flagged passenger ferry Hornbeam, requesting emergency medical assistance. Normandy quickly discovered that a 31-year-old male passenger bound for Slovenia had collapsed and was showing no signs of life. Within 25 minutes one of the cruiser's two SH-60B helicopters responded to the crisis.

Naval forces are prepared to fight promptly and effectively, but they will serve in an equally valuable way by engaging day-to-day

**Legion Juniors meet for bowling**

The 22nd District American Legion Auxiliary Junior Group met at the Cahokia Bowling Lanes Sunday, Feb. 27. The Columbia Unit 883 Juniors were the hostess group and served lunch at noon to 37 members.

Following lunch, the business meeting was conducted by American Legion District junior president from Venice-Madison Unit 307. One of the units present presented a summary of their activities since the September meeting. Sharon Hydon, department junior activities chairman, asked the 22nd District girls to participate in the memorial service to be held at the end of April in Champaign, Ill. A bingo party, S.A.V.E. in Belleville will be planned for sometime in the summer months.

Venice-Madison Unit 307 juniors will be hostess for the spring meeting to be held at Post 307 on Saturday, April 9, at noon.

Bowling was enjoyed by all juniors following the meeting. Winners in the senior age group were as follows: Ages 12 to 11, first place, Jennifer Strohm of Columbia; second place, Jessica Sanford of Cahokia and third place, Amanda Foley from Venice-Madison; ages eight to 11, first place, Lisa Garcia of Columbia, second place, Cathy Moreland of Venice-Madison and third place, Chelsey Peery of Venice-Madison; ages seven to nine, first place, Kaleigh Jahnke of Venice-Madison; second place, Angeine Jaineck of Columbia and third place, Ashley Mober of Belleville.

Other juniors present besides the winners were Melissa Allen, Ashley Krawiecki, Megan Miller, Jenny Miller, Rhonda Ballard and Chisana Ballard, all from Venice-Madison; Unit 307; Linda Norton from Cahokia; Stacy Friedrich, Sarah Buechler, Katie Straub, Laura Straub, Kristin Straub, Lauren Bloomfield and Sara Matlock, all of Columbia; Unit 881; Zenaida Beard, Megan McCowan and Sara Morber, all of Belleville; Unit 58; and one guest, Stefanie Langstroth.

Seniors present with the juniors were Dorothy Hinson, Carla Poey and Connie Ballard, Venice-Madison Unit 307; Rose Moreland, Granite City Unit 113; Margaret Payne, Cahokia Unit 784; Renee Daesch and Sherry Muir, both of Belleville; Unit 58; and Cheri Garcia, Cheryl Jahnke and Geralyn Straub, all of Columbia 881.

**Office personnel group to meet**

The Granite City Association of Educational Office Personnel held a dinner meeting Feb. 28 at Jerry's Cafeteria.

After dinner, the meeting was called to order by President Berta Millah, Cindy Johnson, RN, BSN, community education coordinator, and Pat Schrader, director of women and new mothers services at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. Guests introduced to the group included those who work at the program, services, classes and support groups that are available from SEMC and Schrader spoke about osteoporosis and how to keep your bones strong.

Correspondence was read from Kankakee County Educational Office Personnel and the West Central Association of Educational Office Personnel inviting interested parties to attend their luncheons and fashion shows to support the scholarship fund.

The members were also informed of the IAEOO spring conference to be held April 8, 9 and 10 in Schaumburg, Ill.

The next meeting will be held Monday.

**Friendship Sunday at St. John Lutheran**

"When You Need a Friend" is the theme for St. John Lutheran Church's Sunday celebration. Music will be provided by the Praise Raisers, a joyful group from St. Louis, and by their new Allen organ. The children of the Sunday school have a special treat in store. Everyone is invited — all denominations. The children anticipate a day of renewing friendships, making new friends and worshipping Jesus Christ.

A pot luck dinner, where entertainment will continue, will follow the worship service. Meat, beverages and table service will be provided just bring a dish to share and enjoy.

Sunday school Bible class begins at 9:45 a.m. with the worship service at 10:30 a.m. The guest preacher for the morning is the Rev. Dr. Ervin Kolb. The church secretary will be happy to answer any further questions at 451-7788.

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**Date:** Thursday, April 7, 1994.

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For an appointment, call Memorial's Physical Therapy Department at 233-7750, extension 5250.

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The 1991 graduate of Venice High School joined the Navy in July 1991.

**William Goodman**

Marine Private First Class William T. Goodman, son of Tom V. Goodman of Granite City, recently completed the automated organizational maintenance course at the course at Marine Corps Service Support Schools, Marine Corps Base, Camp LeJeune, N.C. students are taught the technical knowledge and functional skills needed to efficiently perform inspections,

diagnostic tests, adjustments, services and repairs to tactical motor transport equipment under garrison or field operating conditions.

He joined the Marine Corps in February 1993.

**Hayes Wright**

Haley E. Wright Jr. of Venice has joined the U.S. Army, according to his recruiter, Staff Sergeant Ronald Pannenhaker of the U.S. Army Recruiting Station. Private Norton has received the Army's written guarantee that he will receive training in the job specialty of his choice, heavy wheel vehicle mechanic.

Norton, who is a 1992 graduate of Granite City High School, will take basic and advanced training at Fort Jackson, S.C., reporting for duty March 16.

He is the son of Douglas Norton Sr. and Deborah Norton of Granite City.

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Wright, who is a 1989 graduate of Edwardsburg High School, will take advanced individual training at Fort Lee, Va., reporting for

**Thomas Parmley**

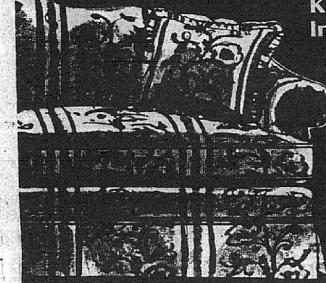
Thomas J. Parmley, son of James and Valerie Parmley of Granite City, enlisted in the Air Force, according to Staff Sergeant Scott Schroeder, Air Force recruiter.

Upon successful completion of the Air Force's six-week basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, Parmley is scheduled to receive technical training in the mechanics aptitude career field.

Parmley, a 1994 graduate of Granite City High School, will be attending basic and advanced training at Fort Jackson, S.C., reporting for duty March 16.

He is the son of Douglas Norton Sr. and Deborah Norton of Granite City.

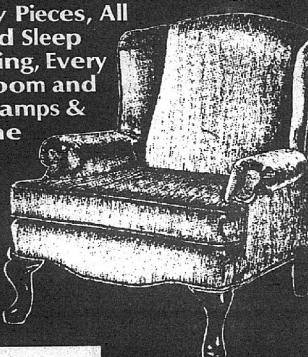
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## 'Clearinghouse' can be a bother

If you are glued to the tube, so to speak, during the NCAA tournament, you will have an opportunity to see and listen to a television commercial referring to the clearinghouse.

The clearinghouse is the NCAA's name for its method to clear student athletes prior to their accepting scholarships from Division I and II member schools.

SPECIFICALLY, it is a change in NCAA eligibility requirements that has been established for review of core courses and high school transcripts.

To be able to compete in collegiate sports, the I or II high school seniors in the 1994-95 school year MUST obtain a brochure from the clearinghouse (available at most high schools), complete a student application and submit this form along with \$18 payment to the clearinghouse based in Iowa City, Iowa. Students included received a fee waiver for the ACT or SAT test, she may also receive a waiver of the \$18 fee.

Regardless of the waiver, the \$18 fee is still required. This writer's crows, and I wasn't surprised to find I wasn't alone.

According to Dennis Grimmer, the school's athletic director at Fulton High, and according to Bob Bellino, as that school's principal in 1994-95, "the clearinghouse is more bureaucratic."

"THAT'S WHAT I'VE heard from my guidance department," Grimmer said.

After hearing that, I contacted O'Fallon guidance department chair Dorothy Bosworth, one of the most experienced persons in her field in the state.

Dorothy, you see, was most instrumental in helping this parent with the problem. She relayed to her daughter Beth, a senior at Belleville Althoff, getting a college basketball scholarship to St. Louis U.

At this point, the clearinghouse had not communicated enough," said Bosworth. "It is very confusing to students, coaches and athletes."

My complaint — one that was relayed to Calvin Symons, manager of the clearinghouse, at a recent meeting of high school and college officials at Belleville Area College — was that my daughter wasted \$18.

RECRUITED BY several colleges as a multi-sport athlete, Beth was informed that the clearinghouse was optional for '94 graduates but still filled out papers last August and sent her \$18 fee.

With each official recruiting visit there was no evidence of the clearinghouse having sent out her scores — a matter that did not bother any of the collegiate officials.

In response, Symons said: "I am aware that a lot of people (See NCAA, Page 2B)

## Trojan track team sprints into season

Madison blending youth,  
speed in Steptoe's 26th year

By Mike Kelly  
Correspondent

Charles Steptoe wants to go out in style.

Entering his 26th year as the boys' track coach at Madison High School, Steptoe feels what could be his final team has the tools to put together a successful season.

"It's hard to say which team will be best last," said Steptoe, who took over the track program in 1969.

"But one of these days I'm going to hang it up. It's crossed my mind and Steptoe has said he'll do it when the time comes.

"Right now, I'm concentrating on the season at hand. We have what you would call a young team, but one that can be very good."

But the Trojans stumbled in their first outdoor meet of the season, Madison finishing third in a triangular meet Wednesday at O'Fallon. The Trojans only mustered 23 points, O'Fallon won the meet with 96 points and Jerseyville was second with 51. But Madison was impressive in the relay events.

(See TROJANS, Page 4B)

### MADISON TROJANS 1994 Varsity Track

March	
23 Cahokia, Gateway Christian	4 p.m.
28 at Beloit, Staunton	3:30 p.m.
29 at Red Bud, Chester	3:30 p.m.
April	
2 Collinsville Invitational	10:30 a.m.
3 at Woodlin, West	3:30 p.m.
7 at Columbia, Freeburg	3:30 p.m.
9 Belleville W. Invitational at Collinsville	10 a.m.
10 at Althoff, Edwardsville	4 p.m.
12 Red Bud Invitational	9 a.m.
18 at Highland, Collinsville	3:30 p.m.
22 Greenview Relays	3:30 p.m.
26 Madison Co. Meet (Collinsville)	3:30 p.m.
30 E. St. Louis Invitational	10:30 a.m.
May	
5 O'Fallon Relays	3:30 p.m.
7 Dupo Invitational	8:30 a.m.
10 at Althoff	3:30 p.m.
16 DuQuoin Class A Classic	3 p.m.
May 27-28 State Sectional at Red Bud	
May 29-30 State Finals at Eastern Illinois	

THE TROJANS WON the 4x100-meter relay (sophomore Antonio Henderson, senior William Dixon, senior Tavarious Young and sophomore Andre Mathews) in 46.5 seconds and finished second in the 4x200 (Henderson, Dixon, Weathers and freshman Deondre Ware). O'Fallon won that event in 1:39; Madison (See TROJANS, Page 4B)



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Warrior guard Jason Black averaged just less than 17 points per game this season.

## GCHS seniors Mosby, Black voted All-SWC

By R.J. Gerber  
Staff writer

From the beginning of their senior basketball seasons, Eric Mosby and Jason Black knew the pressure to perform would be on them.

And they delivered for the Warriors, leading Granite City to a second-place finish in the Southwestern Conference. Game after game, Mosby and Black were counted on to lead the Warriors, and no had no starter taken man down.

The senior duo came up with enough clutch performances to be honored by league coaches in post-season conference balloting.

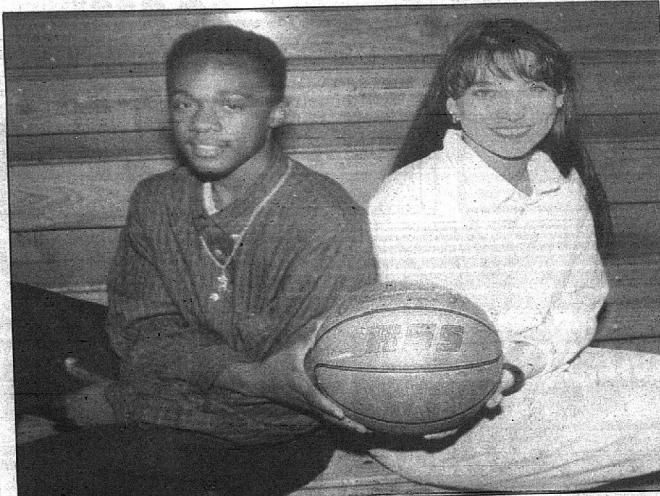
Mosby, a 5-foot guard, was named Co-Player of the Year along with Collinsville's John Curry. Black, a 6-1 small forward, was a second-team selection.

ROUNDING OUT THE first team were Cory Garcia of Collinsville, Michael Harmon of East St. Louis and Belleville West's James Brewer.

The second team was made up of Black, Doug Davinport of Collinsville, Nathan Vileynard of Belleville West and East Side's Jerome Perkins and DeMarcus Chapman.

For Mosby, who averaged 18.3 points per game this season as a third-year center, the honor was something that he did wonder about after the Warriors were eliminated by East St. Louis Lincoln in the Collinsville Sectional.

"After the season, I was saying (See SWC, Page 2B)



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

## Two of a kind

Mosby, Cavaness finish careers as area's best

By Tony Panozzo  
Staff writer

Larren Mosby and Jamie Cavaness share the same age, the same school colors, sometimes lunch, and most importantly, a love for basketball.

The two Granite City High School seniors never had much in common. Both were recently voted by opposing basketball coaches as the Player of the Year in the Southwestern Conference. And their top billing might go even beyond that.

Several coaches have referred to both as the best players in the Metro East area in recent years. Both led their teams to winning seasons and closed out their careers in style.

Cavaness entered the season as the area's most dominant girl's player and put together her best season in four years with averages of 23 points and nine rebounds per game. The 6-2 center, a three-year starting point guard Denise McMillan, carried the Lady Warriors to a 14-9 record.

MOSBY BEGAN THE year as the top point guard in the conference, but he was not

considered to be the area's top player. But by the end of the season, many coaches were touting Mosby with the same label given to Cavaness.

The two seniors finished the year at the top of their game. But perhaps most impressive was the fact Mosby and Cavaness took their teams to another level throughout their time at GCHS. When they graduate later this year, they will leave the school as two of the most talented players to ever play for Granite City.

Put simply, Mosby and Cavaness made basketball season at GCHS something to behold this year.

"We didn't put them together, I don't know if many kids that have done what they have," GCHS boys coach John Van Liskirk said. "It's nice for the school."

"What great role models they were this season. You have to think that Larren and Jamie have inspired younger players, maybe even some high school girls, to become a better player."

INSPIRATION IS WHAT made Mosby and Cavaness the players they are today. For Mosby, it all began during his sophomore year, when he (See SENIORS, Page 2B)

## Trojanettes on track for success

Collins looking to combine youth, versatility

By Mike Kelly  
Correspondent

It could be a make or break season for the Trojanettes track team.

Madison High is facing a rebuilding year, but first-year coach Al Collins has a positive outlook on the upcoming season. Collins, the school's basketball coach, is taking over for Gene Briggs, who stepped down last year after coaching nine straight seasons in 14 years with the program.

"We're extremely young and we're not real deep," Collins said. "But we have some talent athletes that will pick us up in a number of events. It's still early to tell what's actually going to happen. But as the season progresses, I feel we'll put together a competitive team."

SENIOR JOI WOODFORK will lead the Trojanettes this season. A state qualifier in the 300-meter hurdles last year, Woodfork will

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20 Roxana Relays	3:30 p.m.
10 Cahokia, Edwardsville	4 p.m.
May	
3 Roxana Relays	3:30 p.m.
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May 13 Class A Sectional at Greenville	
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state," Woodfork said. "I want to place in the 300 hurdles this season. I just missed placing by five seconds last year."

SOPHOMORE CHRISTINA SHORT is probably Madison's best athlete. Short is an excellent sprinter and a solid long-distance runner. She will also take the discus for the Trojanettes.

"Christina is a hard worker," Collins said. "She has an attitude and she has her endurance. She will rub off on the rest of the girls."

Junior Latasha Montgomery will run the 400 and 800-meter dash, and she will be a member of the 1600-meter relay team. Sophomore Summer Williams, freshman Shayla Wiley, junior Sherry Griggs, freshman Camarishia Samuels and junior Shannon Short round out the roster.

"Those girls have the potential to be very good," Collins said. (See TRACK, Page 2B)

"My goal is to get back to



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Madison High, coach Al Collins talks it over with the Trojanettes during a recent practice.

## SPORTS

**Seniors**

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worked his way into the starting lineup.

Caviness, by contrast, began starting varsity games as a freshman. After playing just three junior varsity games, she was promoted to the varsity level and had an immediate impact. She also put together an outstanding softball career with the Lady Warriors.

Their combined experience and success have been evident in recent nights at GCHS, and they have drawn attention from the rest of the area.

"It's almost like a carbon copy," said Mosby. "I began freshman year and I started when I was a sophomore," Mosby said. "We talk about that all the time. We sit at lunch together and talk about basketball and us being at the same school."

"I guess you can say that's kind of like putting Granite City on the map."

Both Mosby and Caviness baffled opposing teams with their play. Inevitably, they also took notice of each other.

"We're real good friends," Caviness said. "I went to most of their games just to watch him. He's an outstanding player."

"She was unstoppable in some games," Mosby said. "She takes it all."

Caviness' game started taking shape very early in her high school career. In dominating the competition at Grigsby Junior, GCHS Caviness stepped in for GCHS the year after her older sister, Jennifer, graduated.

Jennifer Caviness went on to become a state champion, and Jamie was simply following in her sister's footsteps when she began playing for Granite City.

"Just watching her go made me want to be like her," said Jamie Caviness, who began playing in fifth grade. "I thought I'd really good my freshman year. It was scary at first, but I got a lot more confidence."

As Caviness kept growing, she became more and more serious about the game. Each year, she attended a summer basketball camp at the University of South Florida and eventually joined the same summer select team — Kurtis of St. Louis — that Jennifer had played with.

Last year, Jamie Caviness advanced with her team to the AAU national tournament in Chattanooga, Tenn.

"That's what helped me a lot, going to the national tournaments," Caviness said. "It was a chance for some college coaches to see me play. I played against some All-American players. I gained a lot of confidence."

Caviness came into her senior year ready for basketball, but volleyball came first. She helped lead the Lady Warriors to a 15-4 record.

Caviness was named first-team all-conference for the second straight year, and she was also voted by opponents as one of the three top players. Less than a week after the team finished sectional play, Caviness switched uniforms and sports.

As one of two returning starters, Caviness knew she would

Bowling tourney to begin April 9

By Toby Carrig  
Staff writer

&lt;&lt;The Journal Newspapers Singles Tournament keeps getting bigger and better. This year, the tournament will also include tournaments at the 10th annual B-A-B-A, hosted by 24 Lane Lucky Strike Lanes, located near I-270 and North Lindbergh, the event will run seven weekends beginning April 10.

Entries are urged to get their entries in as soon as possible to receive preferable dates and times (the entry form and for three choices can be found in the sidebar). They can enter as often as they wish, but can only win once with their highest handicapped score in a three-game series.

&gt;&gt;Again this year, \$4,000 is guaranteed to the winner and \$2,000 to the second-place finisher. The remaining cash awards are based on the number of entries.

The entry fee is \$18 and the deadline is Monday, March 21. Anyone who sends in eight or more entries together for the same date and time is eligible for a first prize.

For more information, call the St. Louis BPA at 895-1225.

**NCAA**(Continued from Page 1B)  
are upset about the fees. I cannot completely agree with what the NCAA has done, but they have done it and we are going to have to live with it."

My daughter would prefer having her \$18 back and have someone explain why any student from a school like ours. Almost everyone signed the prep course scores in the SAT, ACT and core courses leading to high school graduation, needs to pay money for the NCAA to verify the already known.

have to shoulder much of the leadership. She responded with the best season yet.

"We did a lot better than I thought we'd do," Caviness said. "There was a lot of fun."

Caviness had about as much fun as Mosby, who watched the Warriors' climb fall into another gear last season. The boys team went 15-12 this year after a near-complete turnover from two years ago, when the Warriors won a regional title.

More was a sophomore that year, and Van Buskirk, the JV coach at the time, recalls taking notice of the young quickly.

"I've had a lot of fortune of coaching them three years," Van Buskirk said. "You could tell he was going to be a real good player. I'm not sure I anticipated him to average 10 points and several third-place awards as a senior, but that's just a testament to his hard work."

Hard work complemented Mosby's natural abilities. Mosby played at Madison Middle School before moving to Granite City prior to his freshman year. He played on the JV team as a freshman and then became a varsity starter halfway into his sophomore year.

Mosby gave fans a sign of things to come near the end of the year in the game at Belleville.

He hit a winning shot at 58-57 victory.

"I can still remember his game against West," Van Buskirk said. "He took over all the rebounds, turned the floor and hit a jump shot at the buzzer with two guys fouling him. There was only one player that could do that in the gym, and that was Darren Mosby."

"That'll never go away," Mosby said. "It was my first winning shot."

"I was winning his last year," Mosby victimized Belleville East with a buzzer-beater in the Collinsville Coliseum.

When the Warriors played Belleville West in a walk-off game near the end of the season, Mosby scored a total of 62 points in the two games.

Down the stretch, Mosby helped the Warriors win four straight games and seven of

their last nine. He reached the high point of his career, though, with a 100-point explosion by Fallon 71-64. He exploded for 33 points, a personal-best performance those in attendance won't soon forget.

"That was my best," Mosby said.

"That was incredible," said Caviness, who saw the game. "I was sitting there in shock."

While Mosby was the big reason for Granite City's turnaround, he wasn't the only one. Jason Black had an exceptional year, averaging 17 points per game.

People were concerned with Jason and Lauren all year," Van Buskirk said. "They were a good combination for us."

The Warriors had an enjoyable year for followers of both teams.

"It was a good year for both teams," Mosby said. "They had a good record, and so did we."

The Warriors are now turning their attention elsewhere. Both players have received numerous offers from college coaches, hoping to gain college spots for next year.

One school, Lindenwood College, wants Caviness to play

for its women's basketball team.

Caviness plans on playing for her AAU team again this year and intends to play in the Prairie State Games. She is also working on adding something new to her arsenal, the three-point basket.

"I don't think I'm quite ready to play in college," Caviness said. "I'm trying to work on my strength and I'm also working on my three-point shot."

Caviness could sign as early as next month. Mosby also remains uncertain, but he's sure things are clear: the athletic programs at GCHS will have a tough act to follow next season.

Mosby hopes something positive will come from the success he and Caviness have had.

"I wanted to have a good year and I wanted to get some colleges looking at me," Mosby said. "Hopefully we'll get some coaches looking at players here in the future."

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**•Track**

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"But we're basically testing the waters right now. We don't know what our track team will look like at the moment, but I know we're going to have four solid athletes out there."

"The relays and the sprint events for the most part will be our strong points. Anything else will be a bonus. But the important thing for them is going to accuracy rates on the team and to work hard at their events. If we can accomplish that, we can put together a good season."

The addition of Caviness and Tammie Parker and Cheryl Gurdner both from Venice would give the Trojettes a huge shot in the arm.

"Tiffany has a job after school," Collins said. "And Cheryl is nursing a sore knee. It's a walk-around situation with both of them. We could be in very good shape with those girls on the roster."

"They had stellar seasons last year. But I'm taking it day by day with these kids. We'll experience a lot of ups and downs, but I want us to improve with every meet. Getting a couple of the girls to state isn't out of the question."

"We might be facing a rebuilding year, but that doesn't mean we can't be successful."

The Trojettes open their season at home at 4 p.m. Monday in a triangular meet against St. Louis Gateway Christian and Cahokia at Sam Dymas Field.

"They're going to be a challenge," Collins said.

A 15-12 overall record and a second-place finish that run to a first-round regional win over Belleville West was the shooting of Black, who missed tying the school's record for 300-yard field goals in a season by one.

Black, who could spot up from seemingly anywhere on the floor, tallied 66 trifectas this past season, falling just short of Jon Dutrt's season record set last year.

But that didn't take away from Black's season.

"I was kind of surprised because of all the good players

**•SWC**(Continued from Page 1B)  
ing to myself that we might be a contender for Player of the Year," said Mosby, a second-team all-league pick as a junior. "When I found out, I was really excited. It's a great honor because one of the good players in our league."

Mosby is considering offers from a host of junior colleges, including Kankakee, Rend Lake and Lewis and Clark, Belleville West and Lincoln.

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Nathan Vineyard (Sr.) ... Belleville West

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James Drayton (Sr.) ... Belleville West

**Honorable Mention**

Mike Barron (Sr.) ... Granite City

Collinsville West

Tony Stokes (Sr.) ... Collingsville

Harold Mathis (Jr.) ... East St. Louis

Bill Street (Sr.) ... Edwardsville

Denz Daniel (Jr.) ... Belleville East

**in our conference," Black said of his second team selection.**

Black was a junior varsity player for Muchmore last season and will get the starting nod in the final five varsity games of the year.

After a sluggish start to his senior year, Black said, he turned things around.

"I wasn't having any fun because I was trying to do too much," said Black, who averaged 16.7 points this season.

"I just went out and played the game, and as long as we won I was happy."

Black searched Triad for a career, mostly in popular sports.

Like Mosby, he is now considering several small-college offers.

Mosby said he wouldn't mind playing alongside his Warrior running mate at the school.

"I love playing with Jason," Mosby said. "I knew I had him all season and that took some of the stress off me."

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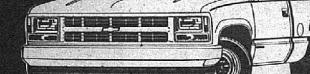


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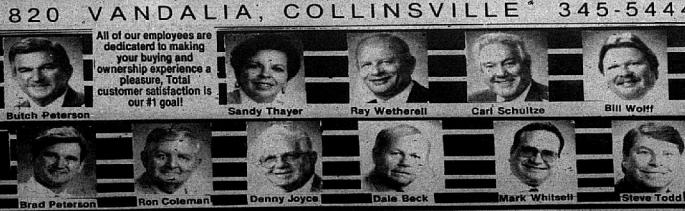
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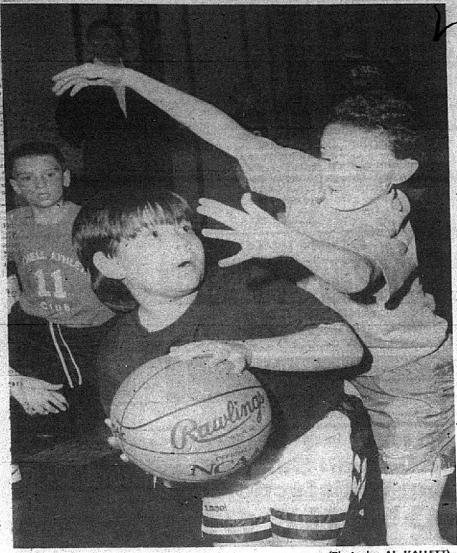
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Chad Lofink looks for a way around Kyle Milton as Robby Steen looks on in a Mitchell Athletic Club basketball game.

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Raiders	5-3
Hurricanes	4-4
Rookies	0-4

Scores  
Sonics 52, Raiders 28  
Hurricanes 22, Rookies 21  
Sonics 71, Hurricanes 12  
Raiders 25, Rookies 23

Fifth-Sixth grade	
Slam	7-1
Spurs	6-2
Tar Heels	5-3
Devils	2-6
Bulls	2-6
Celtics	0-8

Scores  
Bulls 22, Celts 16  
Slam 32, Devils 27  
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Girls	
Third-Fourth grade	
Shaq Attaq	8-1
Hot Shots	6-3
Pink Panthers	1-4
Slammers	1-8

Fifth-Sixth grade	
Purple Puppies	7-0
Panthers	4-3
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## SPORTS

**Trojans**

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came in at 1:40. Young captured the 400-meter dash in 53.8 and senior Butler was third (55.0). Weathers was second in the 100-meter dash (10.4) and Johnson finished third (10.6).

"For the first meet of the season, and considering how cold it was, our times were pretty good," Steptoe said. "These kids love track. They wouldn't be out here if they didn't. They have a lot of desire and a serious attitude."

"These kids want to go to the state meet (on May 28 at Eastern Illinois University in Charleston)."

The Trojans failed to produce a state qualifier last season. Grade problems before the sectional meet destroyed any chance Madison might have had. But Steptoe has learned over the years to put the past where it belongs.

"THIS IS A new season," he said. "We're not concerned about last year. Our focus is concern in the process. We have focused on our schedule that will challenge us, both physically and mentally. But I'm confident this group will be ready by sectional time."

Madison's strong suit will be the sprint and relay events. Steptoe's catalysts are Young, Butler, Weathers and senior Eddie Williams.

"Those are my four horses," Steptoe said. "They're the veterans on this team and I hope they can influence the younger guys. We have a strong combination of youth and experience to be successful."

Sophomore Reginald Strode and junior Deion Butler will handle the field events. Junior Aptwon Anderson and senior Deleesha Meeks are Madison's best long-distance runners. They'll also handle the middle-distance events.

Sophomore Harwell McDonald is Madison's best threat in the high jump. He knocked the bar at 6 feet last season. Freshman Marquise Jackson, sophomore Meeks and freshman Joel Meeks round out the roster.

"We've had a successful tradition here at a second-place finish at state in 1979 and a third-place finish in 1987 and a fourth-place trophy in 1979," Steptoe said. "We might not get the recognition we deserve, but the kids have a sense of pride in this school and this community."

NOTES: The Trojans ran at the Saluki Indoor Invitational on Saturday at Carbondale. Details of that meet will appear in Wednesday's Journal.

Madison will host St. Louis Gateway Christian and Cahokia at 4 p.m. on Monday at Sam Dymas Field.

**GCSSA leagues  
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softball leagues**

The Granite City Steel Softball Association has several openings in its youth T-Ball and youth and men's softball leagues.

The organization has openings for T-Ball, 8-9 and softball (age 9-9) on Friday nights. For more information, call Rick Knight at 451-9244.

The GCSSA also has openings in the Monday night men's league and the Wednesday night men's league. The fee is \$350. There is no non-resident fee. For more information, call Cindy Schubert at 931-5634 or Rick Demaree at 931-4774.

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For more information, call recreation supervisor Ray Hoffman at the Wilson Park office, 477-3059.

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Madison High School track coach Charles Steptoe talks with his team during a recent indoor practice.

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**Taurus** (April 20-May 20) A love interest makes generous promises and will honor his or her word. Keep in close touch with your family.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 21) You'll find several new ways to convey your feelings on romance without going overboard.

**CANCER** (June 22-July 22) You gain the upper hand in a close relationship. Give some thought to relocating.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) Exercising your free, creative spirit is the best way to heal yourself. An Aries should do this.

**LIBRA'S BIRTHDAY** (March 20) You've made choices in love that prove to be 100 percent correct this month. Financiers are found for April 20 projects. A major sum on your bank account is listed in June.

**EMBRACE** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't let your skills this week is more than rewarding. Tough temperaments soften because of you — and your family's gratitude.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) You may be more comfortable in the woodwork, but your role will be duly recognized. Step forward in a political realm.

**SCORPIO** (Oct. 21-Nov. 21) Your opinion holds weight, but voice it with discretion. Seeking the most efficient financial advice is off the week.

**SAGITTARIUS** (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Broad solutions solve relationship snags. You change your mind about permanent things.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Your competitive edge is softened by a charismatic friend. An afternoon tryst goes late into the night.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) You are not fooled by ploys. Your family seeks your advice on all meaningful matters.

**PISCES** (Feb. 19-March 20) Your career is inching along even during this down time. Call your parents.

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